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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I support broadband competition. My ISP is a small carrier who gives better service, better rates, and is more reliable than the large carrier I used to have. Competition is good for America and good for the internet so please protect the small ISP providers by retaining the 1996 Telecommunications act in whole and not dismantling critical components of it.

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